



Mrs. Kia Marnae Atkins

May 26, 1975 - June 13, 2016

Mrs. Kia Marnae Atkins (nee Barnett), of Milwaukee, WI, passed away on Monday, June 13, 2016. at the age of 41. Kia was born to parents Willie Lee Barnett and Jacquelyn Yvonne Vick on May 26, 1975 in Milwaukee, WI. She grew up as the younger of two children and later the second youngest of 4. Kia graduated from Milwaukee Area Technical College's Adult High School, and went on to earn her Associates degree in education from Cardinal Stritch University where she was working on her Bachelors' degree in education in preparations of becoming a teacher.

Kia enjoyed having fun and spending time with her family and friends. Kia was vibrant and full of life and was not afraid to explore the world and was quite the thrill seeker: Kia took relaxing rides on her motorcycle and had great aspirations of becoming a teacher as well as opening up a restaurant.

Kia has two children, and on March 23, 2009, she married Linwood Atkins. She took a position at Johnson Controls in the battery division and, in 1995 as a Quality Control Inspector, where she remained until after the company changed hands.

Kia leaves to cherish her memory: her husband Linwood Atkins, parents Willie

Lee Barnett, and Jacquelyn Yvonne Vick, sons Terry Fykes, and Quan Barnett; her sisters, Yolanda Barnett, Tammy Barnett, and her brother James Jefferson; her nieces, Destiny McKinney (nee Thompson), Devin Thompson, Mariana Echeverria, Vanity Meier, Khayli McKinney, Areli McKinney, Langston McKinney, baby McKinney; and her nephew, Darrian Thompson, as well as a host of extended family members and friends. She was preceded in death by her grandparents Adolphus and Ollie Mae Vick; and Joyce Lee Corhn and Willie D. Barnett and her aunts Patricia Vick and Lynn Hughes .

Cemetery Details

Northwest Cremation Services

6630 W. Hampton Ave.
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

New Dawn Worship Center
3276 N. Palmer Street
Milwaukee, WI

Service

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